

United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO)
Office Action (Official Letter) About Applicant's Trademark Application

U.S. Application Serial No. 97298327

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OFFICE ACTION

Response deadline. File a response to this nonfinal Office action within three months of the “Issue date” below to avoid [abandonment](#) of the application. Review the Office action and respond using one of the links to the appropriate electronic forms in the “How to respond” section below.

Request an extension. For a fee, applicant may [request one three-month extension](#) of the response deadline prior to filing a response. The request must be filed within three months of the “Issue date” below. If the extension request is granted, the USPTO must receive applicant's response to this letter within six months of the “Issue date” to avoid abandonment of the application.

Issue date: April 14, 2023

Applicant's abandoned application has been revived on petition. Prior to its abandonment, an Office action had issued on 13 Dec, 2022, which applicant claimed it had never received. Therefore, **applicant has until the response deadline in this Office action to respond to the refusal(s) and/or requirement(s) raised in the previous Office action.** 37 C.F.R. §2.62(a)(1)(i).

View the previous 13 Dec, 2022 Office action for the outstanding requirement(s) and/or refusal(s) that must be responded to by doing the following:

- (1) Go to the [Trademark Status and Document Retrieval](#) (TSDR) database.

(2) Select “US Serial, Registration, or Reference No.” from the drop-down menu box and enter the serial number of this application.

(3) Click on “Documents” to view the list of documents filed and/or issued in this application.

(4) Click on the document titled “Office Action Outgoing” with a “Create/Mail Date” of 13 Dec, 2022 to view the Office action.

(5) Click on the “Download PDF” button in the top right corner of the screen to download or print the Office action.

If applicant is unable to view the Office action after following the above instructions, email TSDR@uspto.gov for further assistance.

A petition to the Director to revive an abandoned application due to unintentional delay will be granted only once based on non-receipt of the same Office action. *See* 37 C.F.R. §2.66(b)(3).

How to respond. File a [response form to this nonfinal Office action](#) or file a [request form for an extension of time to file a response](#).

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RESPONSE GUIDANCE

- **Missing the deadline for responding to this letter will cause the application to [abandon](#).** A response or extension request must be received by the USPTO before 11:59 p.m. **Eastern Time** of the last day of the response deadline. Trademark Electronic Application System (TEAS) [system availability](#) could affect an applicant's ability to timely respond. For help resolving technical issues with TEAS, email TEAS@uspto.gov.
- **[Responses signed by an unauthorized party](#) are not accepted and can cause the application to [abandon](#).** If applicant does not have an attorney, the response must be signed by the individual applicant, all joint applicants, or someone with [legal authority to bind a juristic applicant](#). If applicant has an attorney, the response must be signed by the

attorney.

- If needed, **find** [contact information for the supervisor](#) of the office or unit listed in the signature block.

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USPTO OFFICIAL NOTICE

Office Action (Official Letter) has issued
on April 14, 2023 for
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A USPTO examining attorney has reviewed your trademark application and issued an Office action. You must respond to this Office action to avoid your application abandoning. Follow the steps below.

- (1) **[Read the Office action](#)**. This email is NOT the Office action.
- (2) **Respond to the Office action by the deadline** using the Trademark Electronic Application System (TEAS). Your response, or if applicable, an extension request, must be received by the USPTO on or before 11:59 p.m. **Eastern Time** of the last day of the response deadline. Otherwise, your application will be [abandoned](#). See the Office action itself regarding how to respond.
- (3) **Direct general questions** about using USPTO electronic forms, the USPTO [website](#), the application process, the status of your application, and whether there are outstanding deadlines to the [Trademark Assistance Center \(TAC\)](#).

After reading the Office action, address any question(s) regarding the specific content to the USPTO examining attorney identified in the Office action.

GENERAL GUIDANCE

- **[Check the status](#) of your application periodically** in the [Trademark Status & Document Retrieval \(TSDR\)](#) database to avoid missing critical deadlines.
- **[Update your correspondence email address](#)** to ensure you receive important USPTO notices about your application.
- **[Beware of trademark-related scams](#)**. Protect yourself from people and companies that may try to take financial advantage of you. Private companies may call you and pretend to be the USPTO or may send you communications that resemble official USPTO documents to trick you. We will never request your credit card number or social security number over the phone. Verify the correspondence originated from us by using your serial number in our database, [TSDR](#), to confirm that it appears under the “Documents” tab, or contact the [Trademark Assistance Center](#).

- **Hiring a U.S.-licensed attorney.** If you do not have an attorney and are not required to have one under the trademark rules, we encourage you to hire a U.S.-licensed attorney specializing in trademark law to help guide you through the registration process. The USPTO examining attorney is not your attorney and cannot give you legal advice, but rather works for and represents the USPTO in trademark matters.